

STADIUM

— NOW PLAYING —
John Ireland
Ann Dvorak - Henry Hull
"RETURN OF JESSE JAMES"
— Plus —
Eugenie Ball
Ludie Albert
"THE FULLER BRUSH GIRL"

SUN. - MON. - TUES.
In Beautiful Technicolor
Stephen McNelly - Alexis Smith
"WYOMING MAIL"
— And —
Don Castle - Jane Nigh in
"MOTIE PATBOL"

TORRANCE

— NOW PLAYING —
Bing Crosby
Bob Hope - Dorothy Lamour
"ROAD TO RIO"
— Plus —
Alan Ladd
Veronica Lake
"SAIGON"

SUN. - MON. - TUES.
Bob Hope in his Finest
In Technicolor, Too
"FANCY PANTS"
— Also —
"THE HARBOR OF MISSING MEN"
With Richard Denning
Aline Towne

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SPANISH PROGRAMS
Every Wed. and Sat.
JAPANESE PROGRAM
Every Tuesday
Phone Torrance 269

GARDENA

— NOW PLAYING —
"FANCY PANTS"
— And —
"THE SLEEPING CITY"
SUN. - MON. - TUES.
"KISS TOMORROW GOODBYE"
— Plus —
"SHAKEDOWN"

PARK

— NOW PLAYING —
"ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT"
— Plus —
"GIVE US WINGS"
SUN. - MON. - TUES.
"I SHOT BILLY THE KID"
— Plus —
"THE SHARK GOD"



ARVID C. JOHNSON
... A New Job

Camino Students Visit Hospitalized Children

Twelve El Camino College dance students entertained sick children at Harbor General Hospital last week.
Each week a class from El Camino visits the children's wards at the hospital to perform for the boys and girls.
The dancers did five numbers while the bed-ridden youngsters watched in amazement. At the end of the dances, smiles of approval appeared on the pale faces.

VERMONT DRIVE-IN THEATRE

VERMONT AT 182ND
AX 36135 CHILDREN FREE
Tonight, Friday & Saturday
November 9 - 10 - 11

BOB
"Fancy Pants"
HOPE

— and —
"Return of Jesse James"

STARTS SUNDAY:
"Walk Softly, Stranger"

— and —
"Wyoming Mail"

Van and Storage Firm Gets New Manager

Thirty-eight-year-old Arvid C. Johnson, former manager of the Redman Van & Storage and Aero Mayflower Transit Company in Westwood, has been named manager of the Torrance Van & Storage Company. It was announced this week by Mrs. George Miller, widow of the company's late owner.

A veteran of many years in the freight and moving business, Johnson assumed management of the firm at 1918 Border avenue last week. Mrs. Miller has been managing the business since the death of her husband August 26, she said.

A native of Salt Lake City, Utah, Johnson entered the freight and moving business with the Redman Van & Storage in that city after his graduation from the University of Utah in 1935. In 1939 he was transferred to the Redman and Aero Mayflower Westwood Village as manager of companies, a position he held until coming to Torrance.

The Johnsons and their 10-year-old daughter, Nanette, live in Westwood, but he told the Herald this week that "he was interested in moving to Torrance."

As a hobby, Johnson breeds and raises Samoyed dogs, a dog first bred by inhabitants of Siberia.

One-fifth of the soil of Greece is suitable for farming.

SWEDISH MASSAGE
Treatments for
Arthritis - Lumbago - Colds
Rheumatism
Cabinet Baths - Reducing
Ladies Attended
Dr. Paul A. Korngay, D.C.
1877 Carson - Tor. 1903-W.

LOMITA Theatre

24333 Narbonne Ave.
Phone Lomita 243
NOW PLAYING
Joan Caulfield - Robt. Cummings
"THE PETTY GIRL"
In Technicolor
Glenn Ford - Broderick Crawford
"CONVICTED"

SUN. THRU THURS. - 5 DAYS
Judy Garland - Gene Kelly
"SUMMER STOCK"
In Technicolor
Richard Conte - Colleen Gray
"THE SLEEPING CITY"

HEY! KIDS - LOOK!
GALA THANKSGIVING
JANBOREE
THURS. NOV. 23 - 10 A.M.
Two Thrilling Westerns with
Your Favorites - Tarzan and
Roy Rogers - 2 1/2 Hours of
Fun and Frolic.
Also 5 COLOR CARTOONS
Box Office Opens 9 A.M.
DON'T MISS IT!
CHILDREN 25c ADULTS 40c
Incl. Tax

Tax Rate up \$0.6485 Over Last Year's Levy

While awaiting the delivery of the 1950-51 tax bills, the first of which were mailed last week, Torrance property owners can get some idea of what their bill will read from the publication of the new tax rate as computed by the Torrance Chamber of Commerce this week.

The tax rate for the Los Angeles County, City of Torrance, and the Torrance Unified School District will be \$6.9820. This is \$0.5485 more than in 1949-50.

The overall property tax picture will show a substantial increase over last year's tax rates due primarily to two factors: the increase in the Los Angeles County General Tax Rate of over 3 1/2 cents over last year's rate, and the Torrance Unified School District increase of better than 34 cents over last year's rate. Summarizing the principal tax rates within the City of Torrance, and according to the latest available estimates, tabulated below are comparisons between this year's rates with those of last year's:

	1949-50	1950-51	Increase or Decrease
Torrance Municipal	\$1.1200	\$1.1200	
General Fund	.....	.....	.....
Public Library Fund	.....	.....	.....
City's Contribution to State Retirement Fund	.....	.....	.....
L. A. County - General	1.8000	1.9351	.3351
Torrance Unified School District	2.5457	2.8887	.3430
Metropolitan Water District	3.400	3.100	-.3000
"L. A. Co. Flood Control	1.912	1.951	.0393
"M.I.D. No. 1 (Act 1937)	2.500	2.500	
County Sanitation District No. 5	.2866	.2831	-.0035
Totals	\$6.3335	\$6.9820	.6485

(* This tax applies to land and improvements only. Does not apply to personal property.
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Other special district tax levies which affect portions of city only are as follows:

Municipal Water District No. 1 (Area: Walters-Hollywood Riviera only)	.....	.....	.....
Municipal Water District No. 2 (Area north of 190th street only)	.....	.....	.....

Budgets of both the City of Torrance and the Torrance Unified School District have increased tremendously during the past year, but the raise in the assessed valuation of the city of approximately 10 per cent has provided additional funds which enabled the city to maintain the municipal tax rate at last year's figure, with the 34 cents increase on the Torrance Unified School district accounted for by the fact that during the year the voters approved a \$2,000,000 bond issue for the rehabilitation of our high school and the building of new elementary schools. These projects were deemed absolutely vital to the progress of the city due to the tremendous increase in our daily school attendance.

LAUNCHING GREASE
About 45 tons of grease are needed to launch a ship.

We Have FRESH PRODUCE EVERY DAY AT LOWEST PRICES CARSON MART 1929 Carson St. Free Delivery

NOTICE!

In accordance with our by-laws all barber shops in San Pedro, Wilmington, Torrance, Lomita, Harbor City and Waltham will be closed Armistice Day, Saturday, Nov. 11.

BARBERS UNION LOCAL 881

San Pedro DRIVE-IN THEATRE

Wednesday Through Sunday, November 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
Dana Andrews - Joan Evans
In Samuel Goldwyn's
"EDGE OF DOOM"
A Successor to "Our Very Own"
First Showing in Harbor Area
— Also —
Robt. Taylor - Paula Raymond
"DEVIL'S DOORWAY"

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
John Wayne - Jean Arthur
"LADY TAKES A CHANCE"
— Also —
Cary Grant in
"MR LUCKY"

TEX WALLACE HITCHING POST

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AMERICAN LEGION DANCE

Saturday, Nov. 11 - 9 P.M.
Sponsored by the Bert Crossland American Legion Post 170
Legion Members and Friends Invited
LES TRONSIER and his ORCHESTRA
POST HALL 1109 BORDER - NO ADMISSION CHARGE

Baptist Church Planning Unique Sunday Programs

During the month of November the First Baptist Church of Torrance will be having a special program every Sunday night featuring many well-known celebrities. A night of music will be the vogue for this Sunday night at 7:30 p. m.

The All-Youth Choir will be singing as usual, with other musical talent. Guests to be featured during the program will be two college young ladies, Miss Carolyn Kerr and Miss Marjorie Luther. During the past year these two young ladies have traveled into 24 states, Mexico and Canada, giving programs in various churches. They also have a broadcast on KFOX every Sunday night at 10:30 p. m.

The assistant pastor of the church, Rev. Russell Killman, will speak on the subject, "Without a Song."

Police Precautions Outlined by County Health Department

Warren W. Hamilton, director of child welfare and attendance, was informed by the L. A. County Health Department that certain precautions should be taken in respect to poliomyelitis.

The department recommends that the contacts remain in school under close observation of the teacher and the school nurse. The school nurse should make a daily inspection of the contacts before they should be admitted to school each day. The Health Department has found this to be the best method of protecting the community and the school.

The TORRANCE MOOSE

are giving a
HAM DINNER
Saturday, Nov. 18 at the
Moose Hall - 1744 Carson St.
Near Western Ave.

COME ONE!
COME ALL!
TICKETS ARE ON
SALE NOW AT
LOYAL ORDER
OF MOOSE NO. 785

North Torrance Soldier Promoted to Sergeant

Sewing sergeant's stripes on his uniform over the past week-end was Charles W. Moore, of 17304 Ardath avenue, now on duty with the Army at Fort MacArthur.

Sgt. Moore was among the 73 corporals promoted to grade of sergeant in what was the largest group of promotions at the post since the end of World War II.

Quarterly Interest

... Current Rate on All Accounts is 3% Per Annum. Each Account Federally Insured up to \$10,000.

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Letters To The Editor

GRA-WAG FOUNDER RELATES TALES OF WAR FROM NORTH KOREAN CITY

Torrance Herald
You remember me as Leo, director of Gra-Wag Boys Club.

Well, here I am in the North Korean capital, a long way from dear old Torrance.

I am sending a clipping of news of our boys, of which I am one, where we landed before the Marines. The Navy had it well in hand and only a few wore here before we came. We carry our guns and hear shots day and night here.

This city of 20,000 (Wonsou, Korea) is leveled, as our guns hit it hard. The harbor was mined and when we flew in from Japan, we could see the 7th Fleet out in the distance.

I have been very fortunate. I have a North Korean Burp gun, and a North Korean flag which was captured the day I got it. I also have a South Korean flag which was on the battlefield.

I have several shells which were found in our camp. The air strip had a lot of shrapnel on it, of which I have some. Believe me, it's hot stuff over here.

Well, I am sending another clipping about a flag and maybe I could fly the City of Torrance flag and send it back as a souvenir.

Well, I trust everything is Ok in Torrance and hope you will send the Torrance Herald to me once in a while.

LEO I. WAGNER
USN Fleet Activities
c/o FPO San Francisco

Fisher's Fiesta Week
BIG SURPRISES
Look For The Fisher's Displays At Your Grocers

Fisher's BISKIT MIX
"ALL-PURPOSE" FISHER'S BISKIT MIX
The Quickest Mix of All

GARY'S JEWELERS

Present The

GREATEST

DIAMOND VALUE of 1950
MAGNIFICENT First Lady

50 DIAMOND

BRIDAL DUETTE

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"FIRST LADY" diamond rings
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For the Christmas Shell Never Forget!

give her a LANE Cedar HOPE CHEST

As Advertised in LIFE \$49.95

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL No. 2523 - Big roomy Waterfall Chest in Matched Walnut and New Guinea Wood. Self-rising tray.

Remember, Lane is the only pressure-treated, Aroma-tight Cedar Chest in the world. Free \$250 - \$500 Month Protection Warranty upon application.

No. 2465 - Popular period design in mellow, full-grained Mahogany. Self-rising tray. \$59.95

SO LASTING, SO SWEET WITH SENTIMENT, THE PERFECT GIFT

FOR DAUGHTER SWEETHEART WIFE, MOTHER SISTER

\$1 Deposit on Star's Lay-Away!

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